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RGB		5	3	9	2	2	4	4	2/95	Jacobson et al	711	114	
RGS		5	3	3	3	3	1	5	7/94	Saether et al			
RGD		5	1	3	1	0	8	7	7/92	Warr			
RGB		5	6	1	9	6	9	0	4/97	Matsumani et al			
RGB		5	5	1	1	1	7	7	4/96	Kagimasa et al	711	114	
RGB		5	5	3	7	5	8	8	7/96	Engelmann et al	707	202	
RGB		5	7	3	7	7	4	3	4/98	Ooe et al	711	112	
RGB		5	7	7	4	6	4	2	6/98	Flon et al	714	13	
RGS		5	5	8	4	0	1	8	12/96	Kamiyama	711	165	
RGS		5	6	0	0	7	8	3	2/97	Kakuta et al	395	182.04	
RGB		5	4	3	7	0	2	2	7/95	Beardsley et al	395	575	

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RGS		7	1	4	6	7	5	7	6/95	Japan				XX	
RGS		3	1	0	2	4	1	8	4/91	Japan				XX	
RGS		8	6	3	2	9	8		3/96	Japan				XX	
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RGS		7	1	4	1	1	2	1	6/95	Japan				XX	
RGS		7	8	4	7	3	2		3/95	Japan				XX	

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RGB	5	9	1	3	5	5	6	3	8/84	Japan				XX	
RGB	6	0	1	1	4	9	4	7	6/85	Japan				XX	
RGB	4	3	0	2	0	2	0		10/92	Japan				XX	
RGB	2	3	7	4	1	8			2/90	Japan				XX	

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